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Things Unprintable.  
Willie—Mother always carves when  
we have company for dinner.  
Bobby—Isn't your father able to?  
Willie—Guess he ain't able to with-  
out sayin' things.—Boston Transcript.

Thanks Either Way.  
Pat (to doctor)—If I live, doctor,  
sure I'll have you to thank for it.  
Pat's Wife (somewhat prejudiced  
against the doctor)—And if you die,  
Pat, you can thank him too.—Judge.

Going Up.  
The cost of living's going up.  
Man stands on the financial brink.  
The five cent soda water lass  
Today, to show a little class,  
Takes nothing but a ten cent drink.  
—Detroit Free Press.

The Art of Selling.  
The successful salesman needs three  
things: The goods, "sticktoitiveness"  
and an agreeable personality, none of  
which can be gained by study. The  
most important of the three is the first.

Old Time Hiccough Cures.  
Galen recommended sneezing as a  
cure for hiccough. Aetius approved of  
a cupping instrument, with great heat,  
to the breast. Alexander believed in  
an oxymel of squills. Alsharavius  
made use of refrigerant drafts. Rhazes  
put his trust in calefacients, such as  
cumin, pepper, rue and the like in vine-  
gar. Rogerius looked kindly on cale-  
facient, attenuant and carminative  
medicines.

Principle of the Hinge.  
The principle of the hinge is seen in  
almost every joint in the animal king-  
dom. No animal is without a hinge  
joint somewhere or other in its anat-  
omy.

Women Sailors.  
Women sailors are employed in Den-  
mark, Norway and Finland and are  
often found to be excellent mariners.  
In Denmark several women are em-  
ployed as state officials at sea, and  
particularly in the pilot service. They  
go out to meet the incoming ships, they  
climb nimbly out of their boats, they  
show their official diploma, and they  
steer the newcomer safely into the  
harbor. It is the same in Finland.

Yucca Roots.  
The roots of the yucca are extensive-  
ly used as a substitute for soap in  
many parts of Mexico and Central  
America.

Delaware's Names.  
Delaware has been called the Dia-  
mond State, for, though small in size,  
it formerly was of great political im-  
portance. It also enjoys the nickname  
of the Blue Hen State, this having  
been bestowed on account of a gentle-  
man named Caldwell, who made the  
state famous in sporting annals by the  
quality of his gamecocks, which he al-  
ways bred from the eggs of a blue hen,  
believing that this was the best color  
for the mother of a gamecock.

Appearances.  
Keep clean, keep well and dress well.  
Cleanliness and health are attractive.  
The world is a great respecter of good  
clothes.

## GIVES BANQUET TO COLLEGIANS

Pastor of Bethel Church Pro-  
moter of Big Function.

### ORATORY AND MUSIC GALORE.

Unique Affair in Honor of Young Men  
and Women Who Have Won Their  
Spurs at College Attended by Great  
Throng—Dr. P. A. Scott's Influence  
and Leadership.

By Miss ELIZABETH JONES.  
Pittsburgh.—The testimonial banquet  
recently given at the Bethel A. M. E.  
church in this city in honor of the  
graduates of the various institutions of  
learning in Pittsburgh and vicinity and  
also from distant cities was a most  
pronounced success. The banquet was  
given also as an incentive to other  
young men and women who have not  
yet completed their studies to press on  
until they reach the goal of their am-  
bition.

The reception was planned after the  
manner of a regular college commence-  
ment. The program consisted of ad-  
dresses, orations and original essays by  
a number of graduates from different  
institutions. The music furnished by  
the J. W. Myers orchestra was classical  
and arranged in keeping with the oc-  
casion.

The affair brought together some of  
the most cultured and enterprising peo-  
ple of Pittsburgh, representing almost  
every vocation and calling. The pro-  
gram was pronounced one of the finest  
ever witnessed in this city.

The following institutions were re-  
presented by the graduates:  
Pittsburgh high school, Misses Elgh-  
ter Watson, Jennie Goldston, Gladys  
Tibbs, Jennie V. Patterson and Frank  
E. Scott; Braddock high school, Miss  
Irene O. Morris and Oliver M. Johnson;  
Cannonsburg high school, Miss Pearl  
J. Walls and Lewis A. McGee, the lat-  
ter winning highest honors in a white  
school and receiving a gold medal.

New Brighton high school, Miss Au-  
ra B. Walden; Carnegie Technical In-  
stitute, Misses Lois Hall and Carrie P.  
Barks; University of Pittsburgh, Leo  
P. Phillips; Wilberforce university,  
Miss Julia Bumery and William P.  
Bayless, A. B.; Howard university,  
Miss Jean Hamilton and Horace Jen-  
kins; Storor college, Misses Roy John-  
son and Hilda Hamilton; Morgan col-  
lege, Walter Jackson; Beaver college,  
Miss Norine Webster; United Presby-  
terian college, Miss Hattie Simms.

These twenty-two young people are  
preparing to enter a variety of profes-  
sions and callings, among them being  
domestic science, civil service, teach-  
ing, journalism, literature, pharmacy,  
medicine, law and the ministry.

Judging from their splendid school  
career, their excellent qualities and the  
brilliant manner in which they acquit-  
ted themselves on this occasion, a very  
useful future can safely be predicted  
for each of them.

This beautiful banquet and testimo-  
nial was planned and conducted by Dr.  
P. A. Scott, the popular and success-  
ful pastor of the historic old Wylie  
avenue church, and he has thereby  
not only honored in a very signal way  
the graduates and those whom they  
represent, but has won for himself  
new and justly merited honors as a  
leader in thought and activity and as  
a patron and indorser of the higher  
education of the race.

In closing the graduates' testimonial  
Dr. Scott announced that his purpose  
is to perpetuate this occasion annually  
and to develop it into much larger pro-  
portions from year to year. To en-  
courage and assist in the development  
of a strong and intelligent citizenship  
should be the duty of every person  
who has the interest of the race at  
heart. This is Dr. Scott's idea, and it  
has met hearty approval.

### LEFT FORTUNE TO WHITES.

Relatives Not Mentioned in Will of  
Miss Catherine Simmons.

Miss Catherine Simmons, whose  
death occurred recently in Middletown,  
Conn., left an estate valued at \$10,000.  
When the will of Miss Simmons was  
filed for probate it was discovered that  
of five bequests of \$500 each made to  
various institutions not one cent was  
left to her relatives.

The rest of the estate, according to  
the terms of the will, is left to former  
Governor Frank B. Weeks, who is a  
resident of Middletown. The income  
from this residue is to be distributed  
by the ex-governor to whatever chari-  
ties or benevolence his good judgment  
may dictate.

So far as is known, all of the estate  
goes to other than members of her own  
race. The colored people, therefore,  
who knew the deceased expressed  
great surprise when they found out the  
terms of the will when it was offered  
for probate. It is said that the rela-  
tives of Miss Simmons will not contest  
the terms of the document, as they  
feel sure that Mr. Weeks will do the  
square thing.

Miss Simmons was well known in  
Middletown and vicinity, where she  
had lived upward of fifty years. She  
had worked for many of the wealthy  
white families and had saved her earn-  
ings. She was well thought of by all  
for whom she had worked. The amount  
of her savings shows that she was  
no spendthrift.

### IN WOMEN'S CLUB CIRCLES.

National Body to Meet in Hampton,  
Progress in New York.

For several years the months of July  
and August have been noted for the  
great gatherings of women's clubs, ed-  
ucational associations and business or-  
ganizations. This year will be no ex-  
ception to the general custom.

The New York State Federation of  
Women's Clubs held its fifth annual  
meeting at St. Mark's M. E. church,  
in New York city, July 2 to 3, inclu-  
sive. The meeting was largely attend-  
ed by delegates and visitors from all  
over the state. There were also many  
visitors from Connecticut, Rhode Is-  
land and New Jersey.

The reports showed that the clubs  
in the main were in a prosperous con-  
dition. The report of the state organ-  
izer, Mrs. M. C. Lawton of Brooklyn,  
showed that she had organized or  
brought into the federation eight Ne-  
gro clubs, besides others which were  
brought in by the various workers in  
other sections of the state, since the  
last annual meeting.

The biennial meeting of the National  
Association of Women's Clubs will  
be held in Hampton, Va., beginning on  
Monday, July 22. This is the largest  
body of colored women in the United  
States. The sessions will be presided  
over by Miss E. C. Carter of New  
Bedford, Mass.

The annual meeting of the North-  
eastern Federation of Women's Clubs,  
Mrs. C. S. Gunner president, was held  
in Jersey City, N. J., for three days be-  
ginning on Wednesday, July 17. Dele-  
gates were present in large numbers  
from all the New England states.

The reports showed an increase in  
the membership of the clubs generally.  
The organization as a whole is in splen-  
did financial condition and gives large-  
ly to educational and charitable work.

### PREPARED FOR BUSINESS.

College Record of Young Physician In-  
dicates Bright Future.

Fresh from college, capable and am-  
bitions, Dr. L. T. Delany goes forth  
from the medical school of the Univer-  
sity of Pennsylvania to shoulder the  
responsibilities of life in the business  
world. He has shown great adaptabil-  
ity for his chosen profession and has  
prospects for a bright future.

He made a brilliant record while in  
school, taking high rank in gynecology,  
surgery and pathology. While a stu-  
dent at the University of Pennsylvania  
Dr. Delany made a study of the  
hospital facilities at the Mercer and  
Douglass hospitals in Philadelphia, act-  
ing in the capacity of resident physi-  
cian. Thus he gained a considerable  
practical experience.

Dr. Delany is a native of Raleigh,  
N. C., whither he will return to begin  
his professional career. Before taking  
up his studies in the north Dr. Delany  
graduated from the medical school of  
Shaw university. He is also an alu-  
mus of the St. Augustine Normal  
school.

### DOWNTOWN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL MAKES PROGRESS.

Trustees' Financial Report and Presi-  
dent's Statement Are Encouraging.

At the recent annual meeting of the  
board of trustees of the Downtontown  
(Pa.) Industrial school President Wil-  
liam A. Credit, LL. D., and Treasur-  
er Dr. T. J. Minton rendered satisfac-  
tory and encouraging reports. The  
meeting was held at the office of the  
accountant, Mr. Charles H. Brooks, on  
Lombard street, Philadelphia.

The reports were approved by the  
board and audited by the local audit-  
ing committee, which is composed of  
the Rev. J. M. Palmer and Mr. R. G.  
Jackson. President Credit's report  
showed that all notes had been met  
and that the students had been unusu-  
ally prompt in the payment of their  
board bills. The student enrollment  
for the year was 134, which is the  
largest since the school opened.

One of the special features which  
have contributed to the success of the  
school among students has been their  
willingness and ability to do well  
whatever task to which they are as-  
signed. A glance at the buildings and  
campus in their neatness and inviting  
appearance will verify this statement.  
Progress along all lines marks the  
work of the school year 1911-12.

Keeping the motto of the school ever  
in mind (self help through self work),  
a number of students worked their  
way through the industrial branches  
during the year. Fifteen graduates  
are prepared to take up the higher  
branches and are prepared to enter  
Lincoln university at the opening of  
the next school year.

President W. A. Credit was re-elected  
for another year. Dr. Credit says  
that the friends of the school have  
been exceedingly generous. "This is  
the best year in gifts and donations  
the school has had." Special mention  
was made of help received from var-  
ious sources, individual and from or-  
ganizations. The amount received  
from students was \$6,417.78, dona-  
tions, \$1,012.88; state of Pennsylvania,  
\$5,000.

Workers Among Children Confer.  
The recent joint conference of work-  
ers among girls and the conference of  
workers among boys was held at Riv-  
erdale (N. Y.) Orphan asylum, on the  
Hudson. The meeting was largely at-  
tended by representatives of the work  
from New York city and Brooklyn.  
There are 178 boys and 147 girls cared  
for by the asylum, which is superin-  
tended by F. W. Barber. Miss C. M.  
Wood is the first director, and there  
are other capable assistants who take  
an active part in the work.

The Horsefly.  
A horsefly will live for hours after  
the head has been pinched off.

Why Bodies Were Embalmed.  
The Egyptians believed that the soul  
lived only as long as the body endured;  
hence their reason for embalming the  
body to make it last as long as pos-  
sible. It is estimated that altogether  
there are 400,000,000 mummies in  
Egypt.

Sunset Clouds.  
Of the various colored rays from the  
setting sun the red are the last to dis-  
appear. That is why sunset clouds  
turn red last of all before the light dies  
from them.

Under the Chandelier.  
Next time you go to a party watch  
some of the women as they stand un-  
der the chandeliers. Notice how a  
light shining from above brings out un-  
suspected lines and angles in all but  
the youngest and freshest faces. It is  
a severe test of beauty.

Killing a Sneeze.  
To avert a sneeze press the upper lip  
against the teeth with the forefinger.

Alligators of Colombia.  
There seems to be no likelihood of  
exterminating the alligators of Colom-  
bia, no matter how great the slaughter,  
as each female lays about 100 eggs a  
year.

A "Gold Brick" of Old Time.  
In one of the Tel-el-Amarna letters,  
written during the eighteenth dynasty,  
the king of Babylon accuses Amenoph-  
is III. of Egypt of sending him a  
mass of base metal for gold. He says,  
"The twenty minas of gold you sent me  
contained, when melted down, only  
five minas of pure gold."

Nosebleed.  
Bleeding at the nose is usually a sign  
that something is wrong with the sys-  
tem. The cause should be discovered  
and steps taken to remove it.

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stand, 3532 State St.

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bacco, confections and news stand, 5244  
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laundry office, 4122 State St.

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cigars, tobacco and news stand, 2636  
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